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Sir:

This amendment is responsive to the Final Office Action dated November 1, 2007.

Accompanying this submission is a Petition for Extension of Time, extending the period for reply by three months, to and including May 1, 2008. Accordingly, this response is timely filed. This response is also filed with a Notice of Appeal.

In view of the remarks put forth below, reconsideration and allowance are respectfully requested.

Listing of the Claims begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.